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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: J. Wozniak
Yasuo OKUTANI, et al.	)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2655
Application No.: 09/818,607	)	
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Filed: March 28, 2001	)	
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For: SPEECH SIGNAL	)	
PROCESSING APPARATUS	:	September 16, 2004
AND METHOD, AND	)	
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the final Office Action dated April 16, 2004 for two (2) months, from July 16, 2004 to September 16, 2004. A check in the amount of \$420.00 for payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee required for the extension, and credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

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